



**Borough of
Freehold**



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Freehold Borough / Freehold Township - Municipal Alliance Committee

Minutes of the January, 2020 Meeting

The meeting of the Freehold Municipal Alliance was called to order by Jeff Friedman at 12:07 p.m. on Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at Freehold Township Municipal Building, Freehold, NJ.

In attendance: Linda Altini, Eva Carella, Antoinette Ceciarelli, Kristen Clyne, Courtney Colford, Mary Cozzolino, Maryellen Dykeman, Heather Elkin, Jeff Friedman, Margaret Jahn, Annette Jordan, Tiffany Larkin, Frank Lucia, John Mazza, TJ McGowan, Rev. Patricia Medley, Debra Preston, Lester Preston, Jay Robinson, Sharon Shutzer and Rocco Tomazic.

Guests:

Shau Brie Dow and Angelica Espinal-Garcia

Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Rev. Patricia Medley and seconded by Sharon Shutzer. The motion was approved.

Announcements

Oaths of Office were done for Linda Altini, Lester A. Preston, Thomas McGowan and Jay Robinson.

Reports

Treasurer's Report

The opening balance in the treasury is 49,528.98. Total revenue \$2,680.00. Total disbursement \$917.99. Ending balance \$51,290.99. A motion to approve the treasurer's report was made by Sharon Shutzer and seconded by Margy Jahn. The motion was approved.

Chairman's Report

Coordinator's Report

- Lester Preston welcomed to the Alliance
- Final 2020 Meeting Schedule Resolution was signed and being posted in the Asbury Park Press.

- Tim Shoemaker will be presenting his Vaping program to the Freehold Regional High School District on February 5th at Colts Neck High School. Freehold Alliance will have a table at this event.
- Ty Sell will be doing his Creating Connection that Count program to our Middle School Students and Parents on March 24th.
- It was voted that the Alliance Coordinator can spend up to \$500.00 a month without bringing items to vote. This will only be done if a PO needs to be issue on a ASAP basis.

Committee Reports

Community Outreach

- All active programs were reviewed.
- Annette suggest when Alliance has a tabling event, we should use a Tablet to present our Noovie Clip.

Fundraising

- Debra Preston reviewed some of the upcoming Golf Outing details.

Law Enforcement

- TJ McGowan reviewed the REAL ID Driver's License program.

Youth and Education Programs

- Trish Caldwell presented her Trauma program with the faculty at FIS.
- Cross-Age program set for FIS and Freehold High School Students

New Business

- Angelica Espinal-Garcia shared the Youth Mental Health First Aid training. The English Program will be on 2/11/20, 3/5/20, 3/26/20 and 5/6/20, these program will be conducted in the Music Room at Park Avenue Elementary School. The Spanish program will be on 3/26 & 27 at Casa Freehold, 2 Jackson Street.
- Maryellen Dykemen shared the Centra States Vaping Program which is a 4 week program starting February 4th from 4-5 p.m. for Grades 8-12. This program is a free program.
- Rev. Patricia Medley shared the Emergency Housing and Advocacy Fundraiser – “Jersey Born” will be held at Southgate Manor, Sunday, 03/22/20 from 2-6 p.m. Gift Basket auction and sponsorships are available. Email with information has been communicated to Alliance Members.
- Frank Lucia shared Free Hugs Day at the Freehold Raceway Mall on February 9, 2020 – 12:00-2:00 p.m.
- Frank Lucia also share the date for Paint the Mall Purple – 05/09/20.
- Shau Brie Dow shared information for the Live Black Museum at the Abundant Life Church on February 21st from 3-6 p.m.

Old Business/Other Business

- None.

Next Meeting

- The meeting will be held February 12th at 12:00 p.m. at the Freehold Borough Municipal Building, Freehold.